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Photo by Staff Sgt. Francesca Popp

First Lt. Shawn Booher and Staff Sgt. Robert Potter, 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron, load mobility bags into the belly of a C-5 Galaxy as part of the 509th Bomb Wing's first operational deployment.



Photo by Master Sgt. Dee Ann Poole

Reservists from the 442nd Fighter Wing inventory their mobility bags after being activated. Due to the Global War on Terrorism, Stop Loss is being implemented across the total force.

AF implements Stop Loss

By Staff Sgt. A.J. Bosker
Air Force Print News

WASHINGTON — The Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Manpower & Reserve Affairs) has authorized the use of Stop Loss in order to retain specific skills needed to meet national security objectives. Effective May 2, 43 officer and 56 enlisted specialties are Stop Lossed.

"We do not take this action lightly," said Secretary of the Air Force Dr. James Roche. "Stop Loss is designed to preserve critical skills essential to supporting the Global War on Terrorism, while ensuring we're prepared to meet other contingencies."

"We've implemented Stop Loss to ensure we have the necessary skilled personnel to conduct operations," said Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John Jumper. "We'll use it only as long as necessary to accomplish our mission."

Stop Loss is being implemented across the total force (active duty, Air Force Ready Reserve, and Air National Guard) for a number of career fields and affects all airmen in the rank of colonel and below, said Maj. Teresa Forest, chief of Air Force retirements and separation policy at the Pentagon.

Both the secretary and chief of staff are acutely aware that the Air Force is an all-volunteer force and that this action, while essential to meeting the service's worldwide obligations, is inconsistent with the fundamental principles of voluntary service.

"We take Stop Loss seriously and are working hard to ensure the lives of our airmen, their families and their civilian employers are not disrupted any longer than is necessary to meet our national commitments," Jumper said.

Therefore, a waiver process will be implemented for those people with unique circumstances.

"We are doing our best to minimize this disruption. And, we will look at unique circumstances on a case-by-case basis and do all we can to offer appropriate relief," Roche said.

"We understand the individual sacrifices that our airmen and their families will be making," Jumper said. "We appreciate their unwavering support and dedication to our nation."

For more information about Stop Loss, members can call the military personnel flight at 687-6426, or the Air Force Personnel Center's Stop Loss Control Center at 210-565-2374 or DSN 665-2374 or visit the Web site at <http://www.afpc.randolph.af.mil>.

9-Line Target



Locked and loaded!

Red Carpet Rollout

This week Whiteman welcomes ...

U.S. Rep. Ike Skelton

Missouri's 4th District

U.S. Rep. Duncan Hunter

Chairman of the House Armed Services Committee

News in Brief

2 members selected for colonel

Two 509th Bomb Wing lieutenant colonels were selected for promotion to colonel under the Calendar Year 02B Colonel Board. They are:

Scott Land, 509th Operations Group deputy commander, and **Scott Vander Hamm**, 325th Bomb Squadron commander.

Daedalians hold luncheon

Spirit Flight No. 68 of the Order of the Daedalians meets for lunch at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Mission's End. Speaker is Dr. Walter Gunn, who served 39 years as a TWA pilot and logged 28,000 hours in aircraft since 1945. He has written books on aviation psychology, flight safety and aircraft design systems. The menu is a la carte. To R.S.V.P., call Lt. Col. Tom Bussiere at 687-6927 or e-mail him at thomas.bussiere@whiteman.af.mil.

AF announces promotions Wednesday

AIR FORCE PERSONNEL CENTER — The Air Force plans to release the listing of the service's newest senior master sergeants Wednesday.

Selectees will be promoted from April 2003 to March 2004 in monthly increments. Promotion statistics will be released when they become available.

The entire list will be posted on the Air Force Personnel Center's Web site at <http://www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/eprom/> by March 21.

The Senior NCO Academy primary and alternate list will also be released with the promotion list.



Weather

Saturday

Partly cloudy

H 73 °
L 48 °

Sunday

Partly cloudy

H 75 °
L 53 °

Commander's Corner

By Col. Doug Raaberg

509th Bomb Wing Commander

THE B-2 IS ON THE ROAD TO WAR! We are proud of our great Americans who've packed up and moved out in response to this declaration. As most of you already know, we deployed personnel, equipment and B-2 Spirits to a forward operating location this week. This is a first in the history of the B-2 bomber and the 509th Bomb Wing.

From the unit to the deployment processing line to cargo marshalling and load, what you may not know is how perfect the actual deployment process went. Like me, you ought to be very proud of the team effort that made this a reality.

I'm thrilled at the continued resourcefulness demonstrated by our Whiteman professionals, especially when faced with last-minute changes or obstacles. There are too many names to name, but I first want to recognize the Herculean work by the 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron members. In turn, I'd like to say thank you to each unit deployment manager for their specific work in bringing their people and equipment to the deployment control center on time and in great shape. Next, my hat's off to every augmentee who put hand on cargo and loaded the C-5s and KC-10s to perfection. Finally, a personal thank you to Maj. Bruce Bartholomew, 509th LRS, our "dep-utized" integrated deployment officer, and Richard Youngcourt, 509th LRS, for their leadership. Fabulous work Team Whiteman!

OUR FAMILIES ARE TOO IMPOR-

TANT! This week's deployment adds to the hundreds of Whiteman members already deployed around the world. I met with the spouses of our deployed troops again last week at two town hall meetings — thanks again to all who attended and voiced their concerns. I'm always ready to field questions and provide answers — or a means to an answer — especially if I can lighten the load or relieve some of the stress. It's important for us to remember the entire Whiteman family — not just our blue-suiters or civilian contractors, but spouses and children as well. Remember, while commanders, first sergeants, supervisors and key spouses are our front line — it falls on all of our shoulders to look after our Whiteman family members.

SENIOR LEADERSHIP TOOK

NOTICE! Thank you to everyone who made Gen. Lester Lyles' B-2 flight and visit a grand success. At the helm of the Air Force Materiel Command, General Lyles has a personal stake in our success. He thoroughly enjoyed his flight with Maj. John "Sudz" Soper, 394th Combat Training Squadron — thanks for giving him the right sight picture. In turn, he's given Whiteman a gift of \$100,000 for a quality-



of-life project, which we will match with funds to improve the Ozark Inn's serving line. A big thank you to our four-star leader for caring for his people.

We also had a terrific visit with Lt. Gen. Bruce Carlson, the 8th Air Force commander. He was absolutely impressed with the Spirit of the 509th. He too brought a gift — then-Tech. Sgt. Mark Carter, of our airman leadership school, received an on-the-spot promotion to master sergeant. Master Sgt. Mark Carter deserved that STEP. Again, thank you to Senior Master Sgt. Bobby Rush for a tremendous re-enlistment ceremony where General Carlson gave the oath and "re-up" to 20 Whiteman airmen and NCOs.

SAFETY MAKES COMBAT

SENSE! Remember, as we deploy more troops and shops become less fully manned, we need to take the extra time to make sure the job is getting done as professionally as before. Just because the tempo is up, it doesn't mean we can cut corners or compromise safety. I'll say it again ... safety makes combat sense. Let's make sure every job gets done right and safely, the first time.

SAY CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR ACC CIVILIAN WINNERS! Congratulations to John Moskwa, 509th Communications Squadron, who is the 2002 ACC Communications and Information Professionalism Award winner in the Outstanding Civilian Manager Category, and Richard Youngcourt, 509th LRS, who was named the 2002 ACC Logistics Plans Award winner in the Outstanding Civilian Senior Manager Category. Stop by their shops and give them a pat on the back. We have another great showing for Team



Photo by Staff Sgt. Francesca Popp

Airman 1st Class Kimberly Cardone, 509th Medical Support Squadron, holds a measurement stick as Senior Airman Adam Yoder, 509th Munitions Squadron, packs a pallet of luggage.

Whiteman; great work, guys.

FINAL NOTE GOES TO MAINTENANCE! One last note: kudos to the men and women of the 509th Maintenance Group. Your dedicated work is paying off and the jets show it. Every pilot couldn't be more proud of the pristine posture our jets are in — we've definitely entered a new era in B-2 performance. Thank you to the team that now has us fully prepared to execute our mission ... **KICKING DOWN DOORS AND KILLING TARGETS.** Take a bow!



Photo by Tech. Sgt. Mike Nixon

Capt. Jeff Johnson, 325th Bomb Squadron, and Staff Sgt. Chuck Bridges, 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, review aircraft forms before the first-ever forward deployment of B-2s.



Photo by Master Sgt. Dee Ann Poole

Tech. Sgt. David Major, 509th Operations Support Squadron unit deployment manager, and Master Sgt. Gary Seidle, 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron Readiness Flight superintendent, review deployment rosters.

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Mighty Eighth commander visits base

By Airman 1st Class Nick Martin

Public Affairs

The Mighty Eighth's top leader visited here Monday and Tuesday to survey the 509th Bomb Wing's warfighting capability and operational readiness.

"The Air Force's mission is to fly and fight; this is where it gets done. Whiteman is where the rubber meets the road," said Lt. Gen. Bruce Carlson, 8th Air Force commander.

As part of the capability and readiness survey, Carlson received a B-2 update, Joint Direct Attack Munitions briefing, a low-observable maintenance demonstration and an alternate high frequency material briefing and tour.

"The Air Force is changing. The idea of long-range strike is becoming more and more important and this wing is at the heart of that mission," he said.

During Carlson's tour, he met with students from the First-Term Airmen Center and members of the airmen's council for breakfast. He emphasized the importance of every airman to the Air Force's mission.

"The mission here is one of critical importance. The 509th is a very impressive organization. They are part of America's first team and I'm proud of them," Carlson said.

The general also re-enlisted 20 troops and presented the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force Thomas N. Barnes Award for the 8th Air Force Outstanding Crew Chief of the Year Award to Staff Sgt. Billy Jack Roberts, 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron.

"The 509th and the rest of the team are an integral part of the Air Force mission. The 509th is going to be an important part of whatever the Air Force does for a long time in the future," he said.

The 8th Air Force is one of three active-duty numbered air forces in Air Combat Command. Carlson commands 10 expeditionary wings, and also serves as an Air Force component commander for U.S. Strategic Command at Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.



Photos by Tech. Sgt. Mike Nixon

Lt. Gen. Bruce Carlson, 8th Air Force commander, re-enlisted 20 troops Tuesday in Bldg. 509. See Page 4 for the names of those who re-enlisted.

The Mighty Eighth, located at Barksdale AFB, La., is the lead numbered air force for integration of information operations and global strike capabilities. The command

trains Combined Air and Space Operations Center members for worldwide deployment and provides combat-ready forces to combatant commanders.

Campaign time

AFAF drive kicks off Monday

By Master Sgt. Dee Ann Poole

Public Affairs

Air Force people helping Air Force people is what the Air Force Assistance Fund drive is all about. The drive begins Monday and ends April 18.

The annual AFAF campaign raises money for four charitable organizations benefiting active-duty, Reserve, Guard and retired Air Force people and their families, including surviving spouses and their families. Charities receive 100 percent of the AFAF funds. This is the 30th year of the fund drive.

"Requests for assistance are up more than 13 percent since Sept. 11, 2001, while the investments that fund 70 percent of our programs are down 20 percent," said retired Lt. Gen. Mike McGinty, Air Force Aid Society's chief executive officer. In 2002, AFAS helped 34,000 people with \$24.1 million of assistance.

The **Air Force Aid Society** is the official charitable organization of the Air Force. It provides airmen and their families with worldwide emergency financial assistance, education assistance and an array of base-level community-enhancement programs. Eligibility requirements are available at the family support center. Information is also available online at <http://www.afas.org>.

The **Air Force Enlisted Foundation** at Fort Walton Beach, Fla., provides rent subsidy and other support to indigent widows and widowers of retired enlisted people 55

and older. More information is available at <http://www.afenlistedwidows.org>.

The **Air Force Village Indigent Widow's Fund** in San Antonio is a life-care community for retired officers, spouses, widows or widowers, and family members. It includes the indigent widows fund for widows and widowers of Air Force officers. The Air Force Villages Web site is at <http://www.airforcevillages.com>.

The **Gen. and Mrs. Curtis E. LeMay Foundation** provides rent and financial assistance to indigent widows and widowers of officers and enlisted people in their own homes and communities. The LeMay Foundation Web site is at <http://www.info@lemayfoundation.org>.

Contributions to the AFAF are tax deductible as an itemized federal deduction. For more information on the AFAF campaign, visit the Air Force Personnel Center's voting and fundraising Web site at <http://www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/votefund>.

Air Force people who want to help other Air Force people can do so by a one-time contribution or by payroll deduction. Members who sign up for a payroll deduction will see the money taken out of their June leave and earnings statements.

Secretary of the Air Force Dr. James Roche and Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John Jumper announced a \$4.8 million goal for 2003. Last year, Air Force people gave more than \$5.1 million.

Project officers, their units and phone numbers are:

✓ **Chaplain (1st Lt.) Dan Forman**, 509th



Photo by Staff Sgt. Francesca Popp

Whiteman's Air Force Assistance Fund drive representatives pose for a photo with Col. Doug Raaberg, 509th Bomb Wing commander, after the kick off luncheon Wednesday.

Bomb Wing, 687-3652

✓ **Chaplain (1st Lt.) Jay Osterhout**, 509th BW, 687-3652

✓ **Staff Sgt. Kelli Remmert**, 509th Medical Group, 687-3937

✓ **Staff Sgt. Matthew Lau**, 509th Medical Support Squadron, 687-7164

✓ **Staff Sgt. Greg Mito**, 509th Maintenance Group, 687-1594

✓ **2nd Lt. Eric Jagers**, 509th Maintenance Operations Squadron, 687-1538

✓ **Master Sgt. Timothy Stanfield**, 509th Munitions Squadron, 687-3095

✓ **2nd Lt. Ross Hastings**, 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, 687-5852

✓ **1st Lt. Amy Collins**, 509th Mission Support Squadron, 687-6410

✓ **1st Lt. Shaloka Reed**, 509th Mission Support Group, 687-5386

✓ **2nd Lt. Timothy Smith**, 509th Services Squadron, 687-1888

✓ **Master Sgt. Marcus Gray**, 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron, 687-4026

✓ **2nd Lt. Jeremy Bolin**, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron, 687-6288

✓ **Tech. Sgt. Michael Nixon**, 509th Communications Squadron, 687-5732

✓ **Staff Sgt. Tom Methvin**, 509th CS, 687-4999

✓ **Master Sgt. Charles Blakeman**, 509th Security Forces Squadron, 687-3027

✓ **1st Lt. Russ Carruth**, 509th Contracting Squadron, 687-5406

✓ **Capt. Ian Manire**, 509th Operation Group, 687-2686

✓ **Master Sgt. Scott Bachowski**, 509th Operations Support Squadron, 687-1124

✓ **Airman 1st Class Melissa Wrona**, 325th Bomb Squadron, 687-2780

✓ **Senior Airman Melissa Geer**, 393rd BS, 687-3216

✓ **Airman Terdell Nash**, 394th Cobat Training Squadron, 687-1125

✓ **Capt. Joe Walter**, 442nd Fighter Wing, 687-3363

Taxes: Officials explain Missouri law for filing nonresident status

By Capt. May Chiranand
509th Bomb Wing Legal Office

After tax season, several Whiteman members may receive a letter from the Missouri Department of Revenue informing them they owe back taxes.

Wait! Is Missouri the state of domicile for the military member or not?

The military member's leave and earnings statement indicates the state where taxes are paid — this is the state of domicile. Domicile is the state where a person's permanent home is.

For military members, it's the place where they intend to return at the end of their military service. Residence is the term for where a person happens to be living. Therefore, a domicile may be Florida and the residence may be Missouri.

Military members who want to avoid such a letter from the Missouri DOR and aren't sure whether back taxes are owed to the state of Missouri, should visit the tax office.

Military members stationed in Missouri but have a domicile in another state, or have a Missouri domicile but file nonresidence status, should complete Form MO-NRI, Missouri Income Percentage. The form must be mailed with a copy of a leave and earning statement and W-2(s) to the revenue department by April 15 at P.O. Box 3900, Jefferson City, Mo., 65105-3900. It's recommended that the member keep records of anything sent.

If a military member pays taxes to another state, Missouri DOR can't tax military pay nor any interest or dividend income received from personal investments.

Under the Missouri Income Tax Law and the Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act, the domicile of the service member determines a military member's tax status. The domicile is presumed to be the home of record. However, Missouri may look at a military member's intent, actual presence and tangible evidence — voter's registration, car registration, driver's license, etc. — to determine of the person's domicile has changed.

However, military members with an off-duty job or a spouse who works in Missouri and making \$600 or more, that portion of income can be taxed by Missouri. A Missouri tax return must be filed.

If a military member is domiciled in Missouri, the DOR does tax the military pay and other income.

No matter where people claim residency, they're required to file a Form MO-NRI every year in Missouri.

People who claim Missouri as their state of domicile but are stationed elsewhere, may not have to pay Missouri income tax if they file a Form MO-NRI say they:

- ✓ Don't maintain a permanent home in Missouri;
- ✓ Don't have a permanent home outside Missouri; and
- ✓ Don't spend more than 30 days during the taxable year in Missouri. Any Missouri domiciled military member who wishes to claim a "non-resident" status should file an income tax return each year and enclose with that



Photo by Staff Sgt. Francesca Popp

Master Sgt. Luz Nixon, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance representative, helps Airman 1st Class Donnecha Stewart, 509th Maintenance Squadron, file a return. As of Wednesday, VITA representatives processed 1,463 returns with refunds totalling \$2,304,514. The value of services provided by the tax office is \$260,442.

return Form MO-NRI.

Military members and their spouse should note that if the member is stationed elsewhere but the spouse remains in Missouri, the total income — including military pay — is taxable by the Missouri DOR.

For forms and more information, call the Missouri Department of Revenue at 573-751-3505 for general information, and 573-751-5337 or toll free at 800-877-6881 for forms. People can also visit Missouri DOR's Web site at <http://www.dor.state.mo.us> or call the tax office at 687-3800.



Chiefs visit FTAC

Chief Master Sgts. David Mimms, Air Force Materiel Command command chief master sergeant, and Jeffrey Ledoux, 8th Air Force command chief master

sergeant, spoke with First-Term Airmen Center students about career planning. Mimms visited March 6-7 and Ledoux visited Monday and Tuesday.



Photos by Tech. Sgt. Rex Fleming



Lt. Gen. Bruce Carlson, 8th Air Force commander, re-enlisted Master Sgt. Mark Carter, 509th Mission Support Squadron, during a visit Tuesday.

General re-enlists 20 base members

During a visit by Lt. Gen. Bruce Carlson, 8th Air Force commander, Tuesday, he re-enlisted 20 base members. They are:

Senior Airmen Rudel Freeman, Suzanne Fiora and Kevin Phillips, 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron

Staff Sgt. Chaun O'Hara, 509th Security Forces Squadron

Master Sgt. Kelly Renfro, 509th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron

Master Sgt. Mark Carter, 509th Mission Support Squadron

Master Sgt. John Olmeda and Tech. Sgt. Scott Davis, 509th Munitions Squadron

Senior Airman Davie Hobb, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Timothy Harding, 509th Operations Support Squadron

Tech. Sgt. John Lewis, 509th Bomb Wing

Tech. Sgt. Marty Maize and Staff Sgt. Jessica Petersen, 509th Medical Support Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Jose Fonseca, Detachment 6, 372nd Training Squadron

Staff Sgt. Ronald Morris, 509th Services Squadron

Staff Sgt. Carla Green, Det. 12, Air Combat Command Training Support Squadron

Master Sgt. Jeffrey Field, and Tech. Sgts. George Eckelbecker, Timothy Perkins and Sgt. Brent Frank, 509th Maintenance Squadron.



Photo by Master Sgt. Dee Ann Poole

Airman 1st Class Patrick Ross, 509th Logistics Readiness Squadron, uses a bead blaster to safely remove paint and rust on a rim.

ESOH CAMP Countdown: 31 days

(Editor's Note: The 509th Bomb Wing undergoes an external Environmental Safety and Occupational Health Compliance Assessment Management Program evaluation April 13-18. The 509th Civil Engineer Squadron Environmental Office will provide tips and other information to help 509ers prepare for the event. This week's topic is hazardous waste.)

People who work at hazardous waste accumulation points must verify:

- ✓ Training for hazardous waste managers and shop members is current and documented.
- ✓ "NO SMOKING" signs are

posted where flammable containers are stored.

✓ Containers that are stored in a secured area must have secondary containment provided.

✓ Container contents are identified.

✓ Containers are securely closed except when adding material.

✓ Universal waste — fluorescent and mercury bulbs — are in containers, labeled and turned in to Pollution Prevention Central for recycling.

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Have a good day

Army Spc. Christopher Gladbach checks an ID card at the Arnold Gate. Gladbach was called to active duty Jan. 30 and has been augmenting the 509th Security Forces Squadron since Feb. 10. He's assigned to the Missouri Army National Guard's 110th Engineer Battalion Lexington, Mo.

Know what to do during each force protection level

FPCON ALPHA

- ✓ Report all suspicious strangers, vehicles and packages to local law enforcement.
- ✓ Keep family members updated on the local terrorist threat and protective measures.
- ✓ Keep all doors and storage areas not in use secured.
- ✓ Do not unlock or open doors to persons you don't know until their identity is established.

FPCON BRAVO

- ✓ Keep all vehicles and large containers at least 25 meters away from buildings.
- ✓ Inspect the interior and exterior of buildings for suspicious packages.
- ✓ Examine all mail for letter and parcel bombs.
- ✓ Don't accept any unexpected packages without verification from sender.
- ✓ Lock vehicle doors at all times and inspect vehicles prior to entering.

FPCON CHARLIE

- ✓ Drive cautiously — new barriers may be erected to control traffic flow.
- ✓ Park only in designated areas.
- ✓ Access points to the installation and facilities will be strictly limited.
- ✓ Keep a close eye on your children and know their location at all times.
- ✓ Be prepared to have your vehicle inspected upon entering the installation.

FPCON DELTA

- ✓ Stay indoors, especially children.
- ✓ Only mission essential travel.
- ✓ All briefcases, suitcases, packages and vehicles may be searched prior to entry onto the installation or sensitive areas.
- ✓ Make frequent checks of interior/exterior of buildings and parking lots for suspicious activity.
- ✓ Be prepared for many facilities and roads being closed.

Reporting suspicious activity

Use these guidelines to report any suspicious activities. Note: If you have a camera, photograph the person or vehicle, but only if you can do so without placing yourself at risk.

VEHICLE: Record plate number, country, color of plate, color of letters and numbers, make of car, model, year, type, number of occupants and direction of travel.

SUSPECT: Record height, weight, sex, age, skin/hair color, hair length, clothing, language and unusual features.

ACTIVITY: Record date, time and location of what the suspect was doing.

Report suspicious activity to the security forces or Air Force Office of Special Investigations at 687-1852 immediately. For more information about FPCONs call Tech. Sgt. Stephen Bradford, 509th SFS force protection manager, at 687-3044.

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Whiteman Spirit Award



Tech. Sgt. Dave Schnorenberg

509th Operations Support Squadron

Tech. Sgt. Dave Schnorenberg received the Whiteman Spirit Award from Col. Ned Schoeck, 509th Bomb Wing vice commander, Monday.

Maj. David Scanlon, 509th Operations Support Squadron, nominated Schnorenberg for the award.

Schnorenberg, intelligence flight superintendent, established a flight fitness program that was fun and challenging for flight members, said Scanlon.

"What started as a weekly racquetball challenge, evolved into a regularly scheduled fitness session at the gymnasium," said Scanlon. "He researched and developed a fitness program that would challenge participants, increase muscular and cardiovascular fitness, and contribute to improved ergonomic bike scores."

Schnorenberg led the flight twice a week at 6:30 a.m. and the workouts were a success. The flight had improved morale and camaraderie, and Lt. Col. Brian O'Rear, 509th OSS commander, noticed. O'Rear asked Schnorenberg to be the squadron fitness monitor, and create and lead a squadronwide program. He accepted and started the 509th OSS Hawk Fitness program.

The workouts were originally held twice a week, but soon became four sessions a week with two afternoon sessions to accommodate shift workers.

He led every session, morning and afternoon. "Dave is consistently there for each session, sweating, laughing and

puffing with the troops," said Scanlon. Many other squadrons have followed Schnorenberg's lead and started similar programs.

"Dave consistently leads from the front in all of his duties," Scanlon said. "The initiative he displayed in establishing Hawk Fitness, and his efforts to sustain and grow the program is exactly what we should be recognizing with the Whiteman Spirit Award."

Personally Speaking

Duty title: Intelligence flight superintendent

Time on station: 6 months

Time in service: 18 years, 6 months

Hometown: Hillsboro, Ore.

Spouse: Jennifer

Children: Kelsey, 6, James, 4, and Allie, 2.

Goals: Complete my bachelor's degree.

Hobbies: Playing basketball, history and watching the Kansas City Chiefs.

Pet peeves: People who complain about issues without offering solutions.

Best thing about Whiteman: The outstanding caliber of the members assigned and the B-2.

What motivates your winning spirit?

My faith, my family and my love for the U.S. Air Force.

If you could change one thing about Whiteman, what would it be? Increase the amount of housing on base.



Photo by Staff Sgt. Francesca Popp

Got everything?

Terry Thompson, a clerk at the base Envision store, helps gather items for a customer's mobility bag. Thompson, who is legally blind, is one of 45 disabled workers on base. This number doesn't include contractors, non-appropriated fund employees and other non Department of Defense employees. The Air Force is committed to equal opportunity and values its diverse workforce, according to the Air Force Civilian Careers Web site. For more information, visit <http://afpc.randolph.af.mil/cp/recruit/dis.htm>.



Civilian Employee of the Week

Darrell Tackett was nominated for this award by Master Sgt. Paul Tracy, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron Wastewater Treatment Plant foreman. As an electronic industrial controls mechanic, Tackett works in the 509th CES Utilities Section. He's responsible for operating and maintaining a multi-million dollar supervisory control and data acquisition system. The SCADA system he operates and maintains controls plant operations for the base's water treatment and wastewater treatment plant. "He configured this system to notify associated shops in the event of potential aqueous film forming foam dumps that signifies a potential fire in the B-2 hangars," Tracy said.

Submitting _____
Civilian Employee
of the Week

To nominate a civilian employee,
 send an e-mail to
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 Be sure to include why this person
 is being nominated.

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Airman 1st Class Rachel Craig and Master Sgt. Diana Craney, 509th Munitions Squadron, talk about the importance of core values.

1st Sergeant's View

(Editor's note: The 1st Sergeant's View gives Whiteman first sergeants a chance to remind people of correct uniform wear, customs and courtesies, and proper military decorum. Each week, a different first sergeant will share their view.)

By Master Sgt. Diana Craney

509th Munitions Squadron First Sergeant

Integrity first, service before self, excellence in all we do. How many times have you heard this? Are these just words or is it our way of life?

As much as we've heard and read about it, you would think we get it and understand it. But being a first sergeant, and dealing with so many discipline problems, obviously, some people have missed the boat.

These values set the standard for our conduct and expectations for the Air Force, and more importantly our country. It's our way of life in the Air Force.

Integrity — What a powerful word. Our word must be our bond. When we tell someone we are going to do something, be assured, it will be done. Integrity is doing the right thing when no one else is around. It's telling the truth when we know we've made a mistake. Trying to cover up what is wrong is a lack of integrity. It's being honest with others as well as with yourself, and doing what's right at all times. Integrity is first among the core values because it's the essential element or the foundation on which the other values are built.

Service before self — Military members have answered a special calling. We're in a profession that calls for people

with an enduring commitment and dedication to the mission. We must realize our personal needs are secondary to the needs of our great country. You carry the attitude of "How can I contribute?" rather than "What's in it for me?" Service before self helps build teamwork and inspires others. It's contagious, just like smiling.

Excellence in all we do — Inherent in service before self is a desire for excellence. Now, excellence in all we do doesn't mean we're excellent all the time. It means we try and we try our best. Too often we find ourselves trying to take short cuts to get a job done. It doesn't work. No matter how large or small the task, we must take our time, follow the technical data and do it right. I've seen so many settle for less than their best and convince themselves quality and integrity are negotiable. I believe excellence is a commitment to constant improvement. To constantly see problems and challenges as opportunities involves a passion for excellence. How many times has your supervisor said, "I have an opportunity for you to excel." They're setting you up for success. Don't pass it up.

These core values are what make us the best Air Force in the world. They serve as our road map and set the standard for our behavior, in times of peace and war. They serve to remind us of the importance of the profession we have chosen, the oath we took and the demands placed upon us as members of the profession of arms.

Apply these values and they will serve you well in your professional career and your personal life.



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LMA: keeping communication quiet, clean, static free



Tech. Sgt. Timothy Hughes, 509th Communications Squadron, selects an antenna to install on a radio. The land mobile radio office controls, distributes and orders Motorola Saber systems handheld radios, more commonly known as bricks, and Blackberry mobile communication systems. The wireless devices are used for private unclassified communications.



Tech. Sgt. Timothy Hughes and Airman 1st Class Jon Marrs, 509th Communications Squadron, program a key into a Saber systems handheld radio. The radios are keyed to ensure the frequencies can't be detected by radio scanning equipment outside the Whiteman network.



Larry Knowles, 509th Communications Squadron center communications contractor, has worked on base since 1963. Knowles said back then radios weighed up to 30 pounds and tube technology was state-of-the-art. Now, lightweight digital radios are the next upgrade for Whiteman's communication network.



Blackberry wireless systems are controlled and distributed through the 509th Communications Squadron Land Mobile Radio Office. The Blackberry is an Internet interface system used as a secure-wireless way to receive and transmit e-mails and other text messages.



Bill Morlan, 509th Communications Squadron center communications manager, solders a circuit board in a handheld radio. The repair shop upgrades and repairs Whiteman's radios.

Photos by Airman 1st Class Nick Martin



Photo by Arla Stone

Job well done

Col. Scott Reynolds, 442nd Mission Support Group commander, presented 442nd MSG coins to members of the Whiteman Inn staff. "They have been a tremendous help in all the billeting changes that occurred recently with our call-up of over 400 reservists, our departure delay and deployment of all my (442nd) services folks," Reynolds wrote in a note to Col. Gary Finchum, 509th MSG commander. Pictured are: Joey Sanchez, 2nd Lt. Tom Kleczkowski, Chief Master Sgt. David Isaacson, 442nd MSG, Senior Airmen Rachel Aliaga, Trish Linton, Janet Oseguera, Grace Dimapasoc and Keyonna Carter, Airman 1st Class Junior Pierre-Louis, Senior Airman Andrae Blissett, and Reynolds.



Courtesy photo

At the front

Senior Master Sgt. John Little secures fence material to poles as Staff Sgt. Jeffrey Dickson strains to hold the fencing in place. They are members of the 509th Civil Engineer Squadron and deployed with the 320th Expeditionary Civil Engineer Squadron.

Who was the most influential woman in your life and why?

(Editor's Note: To celebrate Women's History Month, the Whiteman Spirit is publishing answers to this question. Look for other stories in future March issues of the paper.)

Karen Mayo

72nd Test and Evaluation Squadron

"Have you ever meet a truly selfless person? I have, and her name is Mayme Jarvais. She's my mother and the most influential woman in my life. There are many stories I could tell you about her to back up my claim, but this is the one that touches my heart the most. When my 83-year-old father was diagnosed with terminal brain cancer and given three to six weeks to live, my 4-foot-11-inch, 80-year-old mother rolled up her sleeves and said come on, we are going home. Despite doctor's objections due to her advanced age, she took my dad home to die as he requested.

Thanks to my mother's loving care, my



father was able to live 12 weeks instead of the three to six the doctors gave him. The cancer progressed slowly taking a little bit more of my father's strength away every day, but my mom stayed optimistic and continued to thank God for each day they had together. When my dad could no longer get up by himself, mom never faltered. She washed, feed and dressed him; some days she wasn't even able to get herself a cup of tea until 10:30 or 11 a.m. that morning because, as she stated, "he came first." Eventually my dad's illness took its toll on my mom, and she became very worn out.

Despite her protests, Hospice and a granddaughter came to stay and help her. Still my mom never stopped; she allowed others to do the housework and cook, but she took care of my dad because she loved him! When my father passed away, my mother was holding him in her arms encouraging him to go home to the Lord.

Many times since my father's death, Mom has stated that she has no regrets, and if she could have my dad back for just one day, she would do it all over again. As I look back over my life, I realize how blessed I am because, the most influential women in my life is my mother."



Photo by Airman Joe Lacdan

I can see my house from here

Airmen 1st Class Antony DeGroot and Jason Carter, 509th Communications Squadron, realign the Air Force Satellite Communication Milstar antenna outside Bldg. 509. Milstar is a joint service satellite communications system that provides secure, jam resistant, worldwide communications to meet essential wartime requirements for high priority military users.

Quote Worthy

At no time in the history of modern warfare has a force been as well trained, well equipped and highly motivated as our Air Force is today.

Gen. John Jumper
Air Force Chief of Staff



Photo by Airman 1st Class Nick Martin

Staff Sgt. Jessica Hill, 509th Medical Support Squadron, posts a poison awareness display. Base members can view the display Monday-March 22 at the base exchange.

Preventing poisonings in the home

National Poison Prevention Week is Sunday through March 22.

Parents can use these precautions to protect children and pets from accidental poisonings at home.

- ✓ Post the telephone number for the poison control center near the phone, so family members can find it quickly in an emergency.

- ✓ Remove nonessential drugs and household products from the home. Discard the items according to the manufacturer's instructions.

- ✓ If there are small children, avoid keeping highly toxic products, such as drain cleaners, in the home, garage, shed or other place children can access.

- ✓ Buy medicines and household products in child-resistant packaging and ensure caps are on tight. Don't remove child-safety caps. Avoid keeping medicines, vitamins or household products in anything but their original packaging.

- ✓ Store medicines and household products in a locked closet or cabinet — including products and medicines with child-resistant containers.

- ✓ Crawl around the house, including inside the closets, to inspect it from a child's point of view. You'll likely find a poisoning hazard you hadn't noticed before.

- ✓ Never refer to medicine or vitamins as "candy."

- ✓ Make sure visiting grandparents, family friends or other caregivers keep their medications away from children. For example, if grandma keeps medications in her purse, make sure the purse is out of a child's reach.

- ✓ Keep a bottle of syrup of ipecac in the home to induce vomiting. Use it only when the poison control center tells you to.

- ✓ Avoid products such as cough syrup or mouthwashes that contain alcohol — they are hazardous for young children. Look for alcohol-free alternatives.

- ✓ Keep cosmetics and beauty products out of a child's reach. Remember, hair permanents and relaxers are toxins as well.

The 509th Medical Group Pharmacy is sponsoring an expired or unwanted medication turn-in. Pharmacy staff will be at the base exchange 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through March 22 to accept old or unwanted medications. Stop by to ask questions and receive information about poison prevention. This turn-in is for medications only. Medical supplies such as lancets or needles cannot be accepted.

For poisoning emergencies, Missouri residents can call 800-222-1222. (Courtesy of Tech Sgt. Tony Berrie, 509th Medical Support Squadron)

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Jammin'

Master Sgt. Mark Revel, 509th Mission Support Squadron, plays "Hound Dog" during a guitar lesson at the youth center. Revel gives a one-hour guitar clinic to youth center members monthly.



Photo by Airman Joe Lacdan

Making repairs

Airmen 1st Class Chad Moses and William Kammerer, and John Luke, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron, perform repair work to a splice point outside Bldg. 200. The electrical splice had to be repaired to reestablish power to several street lights on Vandenberg Avenue March 7.

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Menus

Ozark Inn

Saturday

Lunch: Baked chicken Swedish meatballs and shrimp creole
Dinner: Baked fish, Hungarian goulash and barbecued chicken

Sunday

Lunch: Oven-fried fish, Cantonese spare ribs and grilled mustard chicken
Dinner: Stir fry beef with broccoli, turkey nuggets and sirloin steak

Monday

Lunch: Chili macaroni, chicken cordon bleu and pot roast
Dinner: Baked stuffed fish, southern fried chicken and roast pork loin

Tuesday

Lunch: Chicken teriyaki, veal Parmesan and salmon cakes
Dinner: Country chicken, meat loaf, turkey a la king and spaghetti

Wednesday

Lunch: Cajun ethnic meal
Dinner: Barbecued spare ribs, lemon-herb chicken and stuffed pork chops

Thursday

Lunch: Herbed-baked chicken, stuffed cabbage rolls and southern fried catfish
Dinner: Roast pork loin, Jaegerschnitzel and glazed Cornish hen

March 21

Lunch: Mexican baked chicken, Swiss steak with tomato sauce and stuffed green peppers
Dinner: Lasagna, spaghetti with meat sauce and Italian sausage

Knob Noster Elementary School

Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Chili crispito, green beans, fruit salad and spice cake
Wednesday: Sliced turkey, new potatoes, spinach, orange and roll
Thursday: Chicken fried pork patty, baked beans, salad and pears
March 21: Cheese pizza, mixed vegetables, pineapple chunks and Jell-O

Whiteman Elementary School

Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Corn dog nuggets, potato wedges, carrots and cookies

Wednesday: Chicken patty, mashed potatoes with gravy, beans, yogurt and roll
Thursday: Hamburger pizza wheel, salad, peas and fruit cobbler
March 21: Pizza, salad, corn and cake

Knob Noster Middle School

Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Chicken and rice, green beans, pears and cake
Wednesday: Chicken fried pork steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, peas and carrots, peaches and roll
Thursday: Mr. Rib sandwich, baked beans, mixed fruit and trail mix
March 21: Soft taco, salad, pineapple slices and ice cream dream stick

Knob Noster High School

Monday: NO SCHOOL
Tuesday: Nachos and cheese, hot dog, rice pilaf, salad, pears and juice
Wednesday: Beef fritter, mashed potatoes with gravy, peas, applesauce, roll and juice
Thursday: Taco salad, pineapple chunks, chocolate pie and juice
March 21: Pizza, peaches, corn, gingersnaps and juice

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What's Happening

Education

For more details, visit <https://wwwmil.whiteman.af.mil/509mss/educ/homepage.htm>

Test-taking class offered

The base training and education services flight offers a study and test-taking skills class beginning at 9 a.m. April 23. The course focuses on reading, note-taking, studying, memorization and test-taking techniques. Call the BTES at 687-5749 or 687-5750 to register.

Community

PWOC sponsor women's day

The Protestant Women of the Chapel sponsors a women's day of renewal 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. March 22 at the chapel. Lunch is included in this free event. Registration ends today.

ALS schedules events

✓ The airman leadership school Class 03-C reveille begins at 7:30 a.m. Thursday at the ALS drill pad. Arrival time is 7:25 a.m.

✓ The ALS Class 03-C graduation begins at 5:30 p.m. Thursday at Mission's End. Speaker is Chief Master Sgt. Roger Ball, commandant of the Senior NCO Academy at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

The meal is London broil. Cost is \$14.75 for members and \$16.75 for nonmembers. Attire is mess dress or semi-formal for military members, and coat and tie for civilians.

Tickets are available from members of Class 03-C.

MOAA meeting set

The Military Officers Association and Air Force Association monthly meeting begins at 6 p.m. Wednesday at Mission's End. The speaker is Mel Willard, Missouri State Far director. Members of MOAA and AFA and their spouses are welcome to attend. To reserve a seat, call Janet Allen at 660-747-3634.

CE sponsors Amnesty Days

The 509th Civil Engineer Squadron Environmental Flight sponsors Amnesty Days 3-7 p.m. Thursday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. March 21 and 8 a.m.-noon March 22 at the Resource, Recovery and Recycling Center on 3rd Street. Amnesty Days give base members a chance to turn in cleaners, pesticides, oils, tires, unknown paints and other hazardous materials. For more details, call Pat Martinez at 687-2017.

Chapel presents Sunday Night Live!

New Pentecostal services are available at 6 p.m. Sundays in the chapel. Call the chapel at 687-3652 for more information.

Family Support

Call 687-7132 for details on these events or other family support center activities. Events take place at the FSC.

Youth safety training available

Youth 12 and older can learn basic safety, nutrition, first aid, and infant and child CPR at 9 a.m. Monday. Reservations are required.



Photo by Airman Joe Lacdan

Students beware

Airman 1st Class Daniel Davis, 509th Maintenance Squadron, talks with library clerk Murica Fowler about College Level Examination materials at the library. Students should beware of purchasing CLEP study guides and test preparation materials that may be offered in conjunction with a contract purchase of a computer, software, videos, books, or an offer for credit evaluation for college admission. CLEP information and CLEP materials are available free to Air Force members. Before you commit to purchasing one of these items call the base training and education services flight at 687-5750.

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Ball slammin'

Left, Ruben Davila, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron serves the ball. Right, Steven Talley, 509th Civil Engineer Squadron, spikes the ball as 509th Munitions Squadron members Mark Azbi, 64, and Robert Legg attempt to block. The 509th CES intramural volleyball team defeated MUNS in successive games, 25-13, 25-13. The win upped CES to 4-1 for the season. Intramural volleyball games begin at 5, 6, 7 and 8 Mondays and Thursdays. Extramural games begin at 5, 6, 7 and 8 Mondays and Thursdays.



Photo by Airman Joe Lacdan

Sports Shorts

Soccer/softball players needed

Sign ups for the base intramural soccer and softball leagues are available. Those interested in playing can sign up at the fitness center or contact Senior Airman Cynthia McMillan at 687-5496. Letters of intent to play soccer are due March 24. A soccer coaches meeting begins 1 p.m. March 26 in the community center. Letters of intent to play softball are due April 23. A softball coaches meeting begins at 1 p.m. April 25 in the community center.

Varsity softball tryouts

Varsity softball tryouts take place April 1-11. Sign up at the fitness center or call Senior Airman Cynthia McMillan for more details at 687-5496.

Intramural coaches needed

Coaches for each squadron's intramural soccer, softball, and golf teams are needed. Deadline for soccer is March 22, March 28 for golf and April 22 for softball. Call Tech. Sgt. Marcus Oglesby at 687-3445 for more details.

Bowling fundraiser set

A bowling tournament begins at 1 p.m. March 28 at the Stars & Strikes to raise money for Whiteman's varsity volleyball team. Games and shoe rental are free. Each player should have five sponsors donating \$5 each. The tournament will be organized into 16 teams with five members per team. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top three teams. For more details, call Tech. Sgt. Bruce Turner at 687-6134.

Youth hockey league offers sign ups

Youth ages 5-18 can sign up for inline hockey at the Warrensburg Community Center in Warrensburg. The deadline is May 17. Anyone interested in coaching can call Jim Gai at 660-747-2148.



Photo by Airman Joe Lacdan

And one, and two ...

Stephen Kuykendall, a retired military member and fitness center patron, follows the lead of fitness instructor Nereyda Sevilla, 509th Medical Operations Squadron. The cardio kickboxing aerobic exercise class takes place at noon, Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at the fitness center. It also takes place at 6 a.m. Fridays.



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509th Services Squadron.....687-3594

Child Development Center **687-5588**

Child development openings

The child development center has openings in its full-time class for children ages 3-5. The cost is based on income. Call for more details.

Mission's End **687-4422**

\$25,000 in club scholarships

Current club members and their families can submit an essay in the club member scholarship program. Each entry must be submitted to the base services commander by July 15. Call for more information.

Ozark Inn **687-5476**

Family night

Families of deployed members can dine 4-8 p.m. Tuesdays. A surcharge will be applied to staff sergeants and above, and prices vary. Special children's meals are available and a movie on the big screen TV will be played. Bring a copy of your deployed spouse's orders on the first visit.

Skills Development **687-5691**

Framing class

Students can learn to cut glass and join a frame 6-9 p.m. Thursday. The cost is \$40 and includes supplies.

Scrapbooking

Students can learn to make beautiful pages from their photos 10 a.m.-noon Wednesday. The cost is \$10 and includes some supplies. Bring in four to six pictures.

Stepping stone class

Students can learn to cut and grind glass to create beautiful garden stones in a three-session class beginning at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The cost is \$35.

Teen Center **687-5819**

Congressional award meeting

The congressional award meeting takes place 4:30-5:30 p.m. Thursday. Participants will discuss setting goals and encouraging youth to achieving them.

Luck of the Irish



Bowling ball contest **through March 31 at Stars & Strikes**

- Participants will receive one ticket for every three games of bowling.
- Valid during open bowling only.
- Tickets will be placed in the container provided for a drawing. Bowlers must save half of ticket
- Standard conventional is free until March 31.
- Drawing takes place April 1.

Friday night flick

Teens can bring a movie to watch or can choose from the teen center's selection at 7 p.m. March 21. The cost is \$1 for nonmembers.

Youth Center **687-5586**

Softball and baseball registration

Youths ages 5-18 can register through Thursday to play softball or baseball. The cost is \$25 for members and \$32 for nonmembers. It's sponsored in part by First Command Financial Planning. No federal endorsement of sponsor intended.

Spring fever night

Kindergarteners through fourth graders can celebrate spring 6:30-9:30 p.m. March 21. The cost is \$4 for members and \$5.50 for nonmembers.

Dinner and a movie

Fifth through seventh graders can meet at the youth center 5 p.m. March 22, travel to Sedalia for dinner at McDonald's and then to the Galaxy Theater to watch "Agent Cody Banks." The cost is \$7 for members and \$8 for nonmembers. Return to the youth center at 9:30 p.m. Bring money for dinner and snacks. *(The youth center will be closed for this event.)*

B.R.I.D.G.E.

Five- through 12-year-old children of deployed military members can participate in games 3-5 p.m. Saturday. Call each Monday to make reservations. This free program is offered Saturdays at the youth center.

Outdoor Recreation **687-5565**

Wall class

Receive free certification to climb the 20x20-foot climbing wall 6-8 p.m. March 28. Extended open wall climbing hours are 5:30-9 p.m. March 28.

Katy trail bike ride

Ride the Katy Trail from Rocheport, Mo., to Hartsburg, Mo. 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. March 29. The cost is \$7 and a free bike will be provided if needed. Sign up by March 27.

Nice one



Annual **spring crappie tournament**

Active-duty, retiree, reservist or Department of Defense members and their families can fish in a crappie tournament at Long Shoals Marina at Truman Lake. Check in by 7:10 a.m. Saturday. The cost is \$25 per boat with a maximum of two people per boat. Visit outdoor recreation to register and to receive a copy of the rules.

Community Center **687-5617**

Beautiful baby contest

Parents can enter their child, 12 months and younger, in the annual beautiful baby contest through Saturday at the community center. No copyrighted photos are allowed. The



Dust your clubs off

Phil Sumpter retrieves his golf ball from the hole at Royal Oaks Golf Course. A Chili Bowl Tournament beings with a 9 a.m. shotgun start March 29. The cost is \$15 for entry fees and includes chili (cart and greens fees are not included). The event is sponsored in part by Crown Ford. No federal endorsement of sponsor intended. For more information, call 687-5572.

public will anonymously pick winners until March 28. Prizes will be awarded for the top three winners.

Spring Solstice Olympiad

Families can participate in free indoor sports 2-4 p.m. Saturday. Enjoy putt-putt golf, pop-a-shot basketball, wish-4-fish, hoop toss nerfball, stick-e-toss, radical relay and more.

Champions of chess

A chess tournament takes place 1-6 p.m. March 22. The cost is \$5. Light refreshments will be served and medals will be awarded to the first- through third- place finishers.

Pool tournament

A pool tournament begins at 7 p.m. March 21. The cost is \$5 per player.

Trading card swap

Card collectors can display or swap cards 2-4 p.m. March 29. The event is free and light refreshments will be served.

Whiteman Base Theater

Friday

Biker Boys PG-13 7 p.m.
Starring -- Lawrence Fishburne & Tyson Beckford

An undefeated racer known as Smoke is the undisputed King of Cali. Smoke's dominance of the set is about to be threatened by a young motorcycle-racing prodigy called Kid, who is determined to win Smoke's helmet and earn the coveted title.

Saturday

Final Destination 2 R 7 p.m.

Starring -- Ali Larter & A.J. Cook
Kimberly watches helplessly as a logging truck careens out of control and loses its deadly payload, setting off a horrifying chain reaction. A moment later, she finds herself still stuck in on-ramp traffic, with a line of commuters she saw die moments before trailing behind her. It was only a vision but was it also a warning?

Sunday

Final Destination 2 R 5:30 p.m.
Starring -- Ali Larter & A.J. Cook

Adults \$3 Youth \$1.50
Movie recording line 687-5110
Movies are subject to change due to availability